

## Sarasota Police Department Use Of Force Report

**Incident Entered By:** Officer Angela Cox - 1746**Assigned Investigator:** [Incident pending assignment]

### Incident Details

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Date of Occurrence</b>	<b>Time of Occurrence</b>
3/11/2018	3/11/2018	09:33
<b>Record ID #</b>	<b>Report #</b>	<b>File #</b>
10298	18-015717	U18-0146
<b>Date/Time Entered</b>		
3/11/2018 14:27		

### Incident Summary

I was on foot in the area of Rosemary Cemetery when I heard several subjects screaming in front of Salvation Army at 9th St. and Central Ave. I observed Gerald Karnas kicking and stomping the victim Ray Seymour in the face and head. I observed a thin wooden board on the ground where the battery occurred. Seymour stated the defendant struck him in the face with the board before kicking and stomping his head and face. I approached the subject and ordered him to the ground, he continued to batter the victim. I grabbed the male by his left arm and attempted to transport him to the ground. While struggling to get the male on the ground he faced me and was grabbing my equipment on my duty belt. While the male was on the ground I was able to get his left wrist handcuffed. I placed my right knee on the back of his neck because he was trying to get up. He continued to resist by refusing to give me his right arm by tucking it under his body. He tried again to get up and I placed my right knee in the center of his back to prevent him from getting up. I was able to get his right arm handcuffed and I placed him in the back of my patrol car.

### Incident Location

- 1400 10th Street, Sarasota, FL 34234 - Location of Occurrence: Zone 4

### Use of Force Specific Information

<b>Reason for Use of Force</b>	<b>Service Being Rendered</b>	
Arrest	Battery	
<b>Weather Condition</b>	<b>Lighting Condition</b>	<b>Distance to Citizen</b>
Clear	Daylight	0 to 1 foot
<b>Citizen Injured</b>	<b>Citizen Taken to Hospital</b>	<b>Citizen Arrested</b>
No	No	Yes
<b>More than 1 Citizen Involved</b>		
No		
<b>Citizen's Build</b>	<b>Citizen's Height</b>	
Medium	5'7" to 5'9"	
<b>Member Assessment of Citizen Condition During Incident</b>		
None detected		
<b>Member(s) Injured</b>	<b>Member(s) Taken to Hospital</b>	
No	No	

### Reporting/Involved Citizen Information

**Gerald Karnas**

DOB: 4/21/1974   Race: White   Ethnicity:   Gender: Male

Address

- 1400 10th Street, Sarasota, FL

Role

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Types of Resistance Citizen Used Against Member(s)

- Active Physical

Injuries sustained by this citizen

Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Charges against this Citizen

- Battery
- Resisting Officer W/O Violence
- Drugs

Involved Members

Officer Angela Cox - ID #: 1746

Assignment at time of incident: Title: Officer Patrol

Video Footage: [No Response]

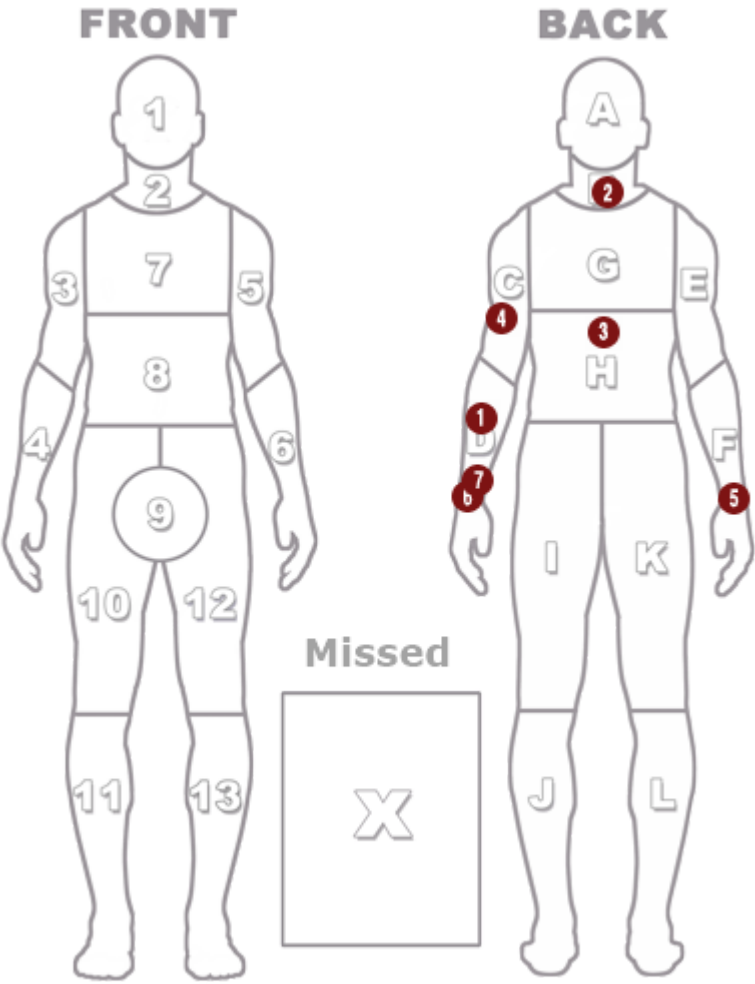
Role

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Force used by this member against the citizen

- Transporters - Was force effective: Yes
- Takedown - Was force effective: Yes
- Double Locked - Was force effective: Yes
- Handcuffed (not double locked explain) - Was force effective: Yes

Force Used	Effective?	Regions	Points of contact
Transporters	Yes	B, D, H	1, 2, 3
Takedown	Yes	C	4
Double Locked	Yes	D, F	5, 6
Handcuffed (not double locked explain)	Yes	D	7



Injuries sustained by this officer

Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Citizen Witnesses

Ray Seymour  
DOB: 7/20/1960 - Race: Black - Gender: Male

- Address
- 1400 10th Street, Sarasota, FL

- Role
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Tasks

No tasks to show

Running Sheet Entries

No running sheet entries to show

## Attachments

Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Type
3/11/2018	PCA	pdf
3/11/2018	Incident Report.	pdf

## Assignment History

Sent Dt	From	To
8/22/2018	Sergeant Bryan Graham	(None Specified)
<b>Assignment notes</b> Field status changed in IAPro from In chain to Released		
<b>Email sent to receiver</b> No email sent		
8/22/2018	Sergeant Bryan Graham	(None Specified)
<b>Assignment notes</b> Released back to IAPro		
<b>Email sent to receiver</b> No email sent		

## Chain of Command History

<b>Routing #1</b>	
Sent From:	Officer Angela Cox
Sent To:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/11/2018 2:52 PM
<b>Instructions from Officer Angela Cox to Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:</b>	
For review	
<b>Comments/Response from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:</b>	
Comments: Per your request.	
<b>Routing #2</b>	
Sent From:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
Sent To:	Officer Angela Cox
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/11/2018 4:19 PM
<b>Instructions from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II to Officer Angela Cox:</b>	
Sent back, as requested.	
<b>Comments/Response from Officer Angela Cox:</b>	
Comments: [Forwarded by Officer Angela Cox]	
<b>Routing #3</b>	
Sent From:	Officer Angela Cox
Sent To:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/11/2018 4:27 PM
<b>Instructions from Officer Angela Cox to Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:</b>	

For review

**Comments/Response from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:**

Comments:

If you took him from standing to the ground, please add 'takedown' as force used.

**Routing #4**

Sent From:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
Sent To:	Officer Angela Cox
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	3/11/2018 5:15 PM

**Instructions from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II to Officer Angela Cox:**

Please see attached, ref force used.

**Comments/Response from Officer Angela Cox:**

Comments:

Corrected

**Routing #5**

Sent From:	Officer Angela Cox
Sent To:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/26/2018 7:01 AM

**Instructions from Officer Angela Cox to Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:**

Resent

**Comments/Response from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II:**

Comments:

Corrected.

**Routing #6**

Sent From:	Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II
Sent To:	Lieutenant Robert Resch
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/26/2018 10:46 AM

**Instructions from Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II to Lieutenant Robert Resch:**

Please see attached.

**Comments/Response from Lieutenant Robert Resch:**

Comments:

[Forwarded by Lieutenant Robert Resch]

**Routing #7**

Sent From:	Lieutenant Robert Resch
Sent To:	Lieutenant Rex Troche
CC:	Captain James Rieser
Sent Date/Time:	6/26/2018 1:10 PM

**Instructions from Lieutenant Robert Resch to Lieutenant Rex Troche:**

For your review

**Comments/Response from Lieutenant Rex Troche:**

Comments:

For some reason this was sent to me. I am forwarding to you.

**Routing #8**

Sent From:	Lieutenant Rex Troche
Sent To:	Officer Robert Morrison
CC:	Captain James Rieser
Sent Date/Time:	6/27/2018 10:43 AM

**Instructions from Lieutenant Rex Troche to Officer Robert Morrison:**

Please see attached.

**Comments/Response from Officer Robert Morrison:**

Comments:

[Forwarded by Officer Robert Morrison]

**Routing #9**

Sent From:	Officer Robert Morrison
Sent To:	Sergeant Gregory Miller
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/29/2018 4:36 PM

**Instructions from Officer Robert Morrison to Sergeant Gregory Miller:**

For your review

**Comments/Response from Sergeant Gregory Miller:**

Comments:

reviewed

**Routing #10**

Sent From:	Sergeant Gregory Miller
Sent To:	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto
CC:	Sergeant Bryan Graham, Manager Rhonda Graham
Sent Date/Time:	7/3/2018 11:38 AM

**Instructions from Sergeant Gregory Miller to Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:**

reviewed

**Comments/Response from Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:**

Comments:

[Forwarded by Admin Specialist Renee Gusto]

**Routing #11**

Sent From:	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto
Sent To:	Sergeant Bryan Graham
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	7/13/2018 12:00 PM

**Instructions from Admin Specialist Renee Gusto to Sergeant Bryan Graham:**

For Correction

**Comments/Response from Sergeant Bryan Graham:**

Comments:

Under Force Used by Member did you handcuff and double lock?

**Routing #12**

Sent From:	Sergeant Bryan Graham
Sent To:	Officer Angela Cox
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	7/13/2018 12:53 PM

**Instructions from Sergeant Bryan Graham to Officer Angela Cox:**

See Comments.

**Comments/Response from Officer Angela Cox:**

Comments:

For approval

**Routing #13**

Sent From:	Officer Angela Cox
Sent To:	Sergeant Bryan Graham
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	7/15/2018 3:47 PM

**Instructions from Officer Angela Cox to Sergeant Bryan Graham:**

For approval

**Comments/Response from Sergeant Bryan Graham:**

Comments:  
Routing was NOT handled in BlueTeam. The incident was forwarded into IAPro by IAPro user Sergeant Bryan Graham

**Assigned Investigator Signature Line**

[Incident pending assignment]

**Chain of Command Signature Lines**

Lieutenant Kenneth Rainey II

Officer Angela Cox

Lieutenant Robert Resch

Lieutenant Rex Troche

Officer Robert Morrison

Sergeant Gregory Miller

Admin Specialist Renee Gusto

Sergeant Bryan Graham